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DETERMINING THE INSTANTANEOUS PHASE AND  
AMPLITUDE OF A VIBRATORY ACCELEROMETER AND  
OTHER SENSORS  
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**PETITION FOR AN UNINTENTIONALLY DELAYED BENEFIT CLAIM**

Sir:

The present application is a continuation of copending U.S. Patent Application Serial Number 09/837,827. However, the present application was not amended to note the reference to the prior application within the later of four months from the actual filing date of the present application or sixteen months from the filing date of the prior application.

Accordingly, this petition for an unintentionally delayed benefit claim under 37 CFR 1.78(a)(3) or (a)(6) is being filed. The petition is accompanied by: (1) the reference required by 35 U.S.C. 120 or 119(e) and 37 CFR 1.78(a)(2) or (a)(5) to the prior application (unless previously submitted) (as added by Amendment A which is being filed herewith); (2) a surcharge under 37 CFR 1.17(t); and (3) a statement that the entire delay between the date the claim was

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due under 37 CFR 1.78(a)(2) or (a)(5) and the date the claim was filed was unintentional (the Director may require additional information where there is a question whether the delay was unintentional).

**Statement:** The entire delay between the date the claim was due under 37 CFR 1.78(a)(2) or (a)(5) and the date the claim was filed was unintentional.

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Respectfully submitted,  
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